

STATE OF MAINE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION 23 STATE HOUSE STATION AUGUSTA, MAINE 04333-0023

WILLIAM H. BEARDSLEY
ACTING COMMISSIONER

January 19, 2016

Richard P Colpitts, Superintendent RSU 17/MSAD 17 1570 Main St, Suite 11 Oxford, ME 04270

Dear Superintendent Colpitts,

Congratulations, the Initial Application for Gifted and Talented Educational Program Approval and Approval of Program Costs for State Subsidy (form EF-S-206) submitted by RSU 17/MSAD 17 has been approved for the 2015-16 school year. The application was reviewed pursuant to M.R.S.A. Title 20-A, Chapter 311 and Maine Department of Education (05-071) Rules Chapter 104, and the approval is based on the expectation that the program is fully implemented in grades K-12 in all required content areas.

The approved program budget with any adjustments is noted below. Adjustments may be costs that are not allowable based on the information provided in your application. All expenditures must be reported to the MEDMS financial system and only allowable costs are permitted to be included for subsidy calculations.

| Elementary | \$ 132,321.57 |
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| Secondary | \$ 7,233.00 |
| Total | \$ 139,554.57 |

Thank you for your continued effort and support of Maine's students.

Sincerely,

Joanne L. Allen

Acting Dir. of School Finance & Operations

JLA/jp

cc: Deborah Johnson

Patti Drapeau, Gifted and Talented Consultant